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## NEWS of the WEEK

**War Disturbs Europe**  
Paris, France—The civil war in Spain has reached proportions here a chain of circumstances might well endanger the peace of Europe. While France has appealed to Great Britain and Italy for an agreement of neutrality toward the Spanish belligerents, a considerable section of French public opinion favors the shipment of arms and munitions to the Socialist Spanish government for use against the rebellious Fascists who are believed to have the sympathy, perhaps the support of Italy.

**Olympic Records Smashed**  
Berlin, Germany—In the world's largest stadium, before Chancellor Hitler, 110,000 spectators witnessed the opening of the largest Olympiad history, with 5000 athletes from all over the world in attendance. Winning the shot-put, Hans Poelike gave the Reich the first men's track and field champion in Olympic records. In the 100 meters semi-finals, Jesse Owens, American, set a new mark of 0:10.2. Cornelius Johnson, another American negro, broke all high-jump records.

**Class I Railroads Prosper**  
Washington, D. C.—During the last six months of the year, the class I railroads of the country increased their net operating revenues more than 22%. On June 1st revenues were reduced to 2 cents per car, and during the month of June, at full month at the lowered rates, the net operating revenues increased 47.5%, more than double the ratio of the other five months of the half-year.

**Unstable Teacher Criticized**  
Pittston, Pa.—Charging that 60-year-old Anthony Munley, master of a nearby village school, spared no rod to the neglect of his classes, a group of parents protested. They asked a more generous application of corporal punishment. "He taught 'em right," exploded protesting parent. "My woman had to go to the school to trim my son's hair, and then Professor Munley wouldn't let her lick him with a strap she had." The school board ended the matter by pointing out that the code prohibited whipping.

**King Changes Plans**  
London—King Edward VIII, instead of spending his vacation in the Riviera villa of the American Mrs. Maxine Elliott, leaves next week on a luxurious chartered yacht for a leisurely cruise in the Atlantic, his own royal yacht being too large to enter the smaller waters. It is believed that the British rebellion caused his advisers to counsel against his Mediterranean vacation.

**Bonus Bonds**  
Washington, D. C.—The Treasury department announces that 2,500,000 veterans, 60% of all bonus recipients had cashed bonds worth \$17,400,000. The total amount issued to July 25th was \$1,726,480,000. More than 200,000 of the 3,518,000 veterans eligible for a bonus have neglected to apply for one.

**France Losing Tourists**  
Paris, France—In seven years, France's annual tourist business has dwindled from 2,000,000 visitors to 1,000,000, their expenditures from \$200,000,000 to \$25,000,000, according to a record given the Chamber of Commerce by Gaston Gerard, former French Under-Secretary. He blamed high hotel rates, special exorbitant gasoline prices, uncomfortable trains, but failed to mention tips down in Barboursville, hotel workers' march through the town displaying banners: "We want salaries, not tips."

### DIVERS NOW SEEK AUBURN WOMAN WHO DISAPPEARED AT GILEAD LAST WEEK

The search for Mrs. John W. Staples of Auburn, who disappeared from a camp at Gilead village with her Pomeranian dog on Tuesday of last week, has now continued nine days. She left her husband at the camp and was expected back soon. The alarm was given when a short search was unavailing when she failed to return after 40 minutes absence.

It was announced early this morning that the dog had been discovered alive about a mile from Gilead on the Gorham road. Mr. Staples identified the dog and search has been conducted in that vicinity today but further clues have not been found.

As we go to press preparations are being made for a diver to go down near the Androscoggin bridge at Gilead where a dog followed a track to the river bank last week. The river has already been patrolled for several miles downstream from that point. Clairvoyants have agreed that the body will be found in the river.

### BAND ORGANIZATION FORMED TUESDAY EVE

At a meeting held at the Legion Rooms Tuesday evening an organization was formed and arrangements made so that a local band seems to be assured. Instruments and music have been ordered and the first rehearsal will be held soon. Mr. Cohen of Rumford was present and said that the Rumford Band will give a concert here for the benefit of the new local enterprise.

Officers chosen are:  
President—Erma T. Young  
Vice-President—Lester Tebbets  
Sec.-Treas.—Ralph Young

### SOIL CONSERVATION TO BE DISCUSSED AT BETHEL FARM

As an added feature of the farm tour in Bethel on Friday, Aug. 7, Edmund Smith, Chairman of the County Soil Conservation Committee will tell what he has done to comply with the program. Oscar L. Wyman, Assistant Crops Specialist of the Extension Service will discuss the approved practices and point out those that are most logical for farms in the area to follow.

The tour will start at G. K. Hastings & Sons' farm at 9:30 daylight saving time. Other farms to be visited are Guy Bartlett's, William C. Chapman, 2d's and Edmund Smith's. At noon the men will eat a picnic lunch at Guy Bartlett's, and Mrs. Bartlett has promised feed tea for every one. She has asked that those who attend bring a cup.

### MRS. STEPHEN E. BYRD

Mrs. Sarah Eunice Mason Byrd, wife of Stephen E. Byrd of Bethel, N. H., died suddenly at the St. Louis Hospital in Berlin Monday night.

Mrs. Byrd was born in Bethel March 5, 1880, the daughter of William and Hepzibah Mason. She was educated in the schools of Bethel and was a graduate of Bridgton Academy. For the past 27 years she has been a resident of Bethel.

Mrs. Byrd was a Past Worthy Matron of Starr King Chapter, O. E. S., president of the Past Matrons and Patrons club, a member of the Maida Rebekah Lodge, Cascade Temple Pythian Sisters, Woman's Club of Bethel, Francis Green Post W. R. C., and county president of the W. C. T. U. She was a member of St. Barnabas Episcopal Church. Surviving are her husband, Stephen E. Byrd, a daughter, Harriet, of Bethel, and one brother, Herman Mason, of Bethel.

Stanley Hamlin is home from Stamford, Conn., for a week's visit.



GOVERNOR LOUIS J. BRANN

### GOVERNOR TO BE GUEST AT MT. ABRAM F. & G. FIELD DAY, AUGUST 15

With several added attractions promised for the Field Day of the Mount Abram Fish and Game Association at Bryant Pond on Saturday, August 15, it is expected that a very large attendance will be on hand. The principal attraction will be Governor Brann who will speak at the athletic field shortly after two o'clock. A series of prizes will also draw many and is probably responsible for a large advance sale of tickets.

The program also includes: ball games at 10 a. m. and 3 p. m.; boat races, 11 a. m.; dinner served by the churches; and drawing of the prizes at 6 p. m. The speakers will be William Hastings, vice-president of the Association, who will speak on the Objects of the Association at 1:45; 2 o'clock, George Kenyon, president; 2:05 Paul C. Thurston, introducing the Governor; 2:15, Governor Louis J. Brann.

Bingo and coconut games will also be enjoyed. The prizes are: 1st, \$185 motor boat; 2d, \$55 Elito outboard motor; 3d, Winchester rifle.

The Governor and party will have dinner at the Bethel Inn, and he will be greeted here by local citizens and the West Paris band.

The Association membership is made up of citizens of West Paris, Greenwood, Woodstock, and Bethel, and includes between two and three hundred.

### WEBBER-HAMBLIN

Lincoln D. Webber, M. D., of the 156th C. C. Company, Wild River and Miss Ellen Hamblin, R. N., of Franklin, Mass., were married by Judge George D. Daniels at Gilead on Monday, July 27th. The young couple left for a secret destination to spend their honeymoon.

Mrs. Harold Chamberlin visited her mother Mrs. Lillian Foster, at Winthrop, Wednesday and Thursday.

Returning to  
**Songo Lake**  
Sunday, Aug. 9

**Amphibian Plane**  
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### LOCAL PEOPLE HEAR BETHEL BROADCAST IN NOVA SCOTIA

A letter from Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Jodrey, who are visiting relatives at Brooklyn, N. S., states that they enjoyed listening to the memorial radio service which was held by the First Radio Parish Church last Sunday morning in memory of Dr. William Rogers Chapman at the Chapman residence in this village. Besides the sermon by Rev. Howard Hough, they were much interested in the other features which included a pleasing account of the town's history and location, a fine tribute to Dr. Chapman, scripture reading by Rev. Herbert Wallace of the Bethel Congregational Church, and singing by the choir.

### SINGLE MEN WALLOP MARRIED OPPONENTS 10-3

by R. E. D.  
Wednesday night saw the married men and single men hooking up again in a return engagement. The single men with all but one B. A. A. regular in their lineup carried too much battling power and holding finesse for their older opponents.

Gill had plenty on the ball but his support was sadly lacking at times. Quimby, slightly wild, was able to bear down in the pinches and was aided by the nice work of Scribner in center field.

Swan led the married men at bat with two hits, one a double, while Stanley, Hood and Robertson led the youths. Eddie regained his eye with a vengeance, lacing out two singles and a two bagger. Hood's triple was the longest hit of the game.

MARRIED MEN	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Young, ss	4	0	0	0	5	0
Gill, p	4	0	1	0	1	0
Swan, c	4	1	2	11	0	0
Doyen, 2b	3	1	1	3	0	1
Croteau, 3b	4	0	0	1	3	1
Wilson, 1b	1	1	1	6	0	2
Berry, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Merrill, cf	2	0	0	0	0	1
Hutchinson, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0

SINGLE MEN	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Stanley, 2b	5	2	2	1	5	1
Scribner, cf	4	0	0	4	0	0
Hood, lf	4	2	2	1	0	0
C. Quimby, p	4	1	1	1	0	0
Daniels, 3b	4	1	1	1	1	0
Young, ss	4	1	0	3	2	1
Robertson, 1b	4	2	3	7	1	0
D. Quimby, lf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Luthebach, c	4	0	0	6	1	0

Married Men	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Single Men	10	1	2	1	3	1

Two late batters, Swan, Webster, Daniels, Robertson, Three base hits. Hood, Double play; Stanley by Young to Robertson. Hit by pitch by Quimby (Merrill). First on base by Quimby 3. Strike out; by Quimby 7, by Gill 11. Wild pitches; Quimby 3, Gill 2. Passed balls; Swan 2. Umpires: Morgan and Lurvey. Time 1:30.

### REYNOLDS-HEINO

A double wedding of interest to friends, relatives and neighbors was solemnized at the Congregational Church, Harrison, Saturday evening, Aug. 1, at eight o'clock by Rev. Andrew Young, when Miss Lina Heino became the bride of Ramsey Reynolds of Sunday River. Newlyweds and Miss Elma Anderson became the bride of Willie Heino. Mr. Reynolds is the second son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Reynolds of Norway and a graduate of the town school. He is now employed by the Harrison Lumber Co. in the woods.

Miss Heino is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heino of French Hill, Harrison and for a few years lived on Sunday River. She is now employed by the Harrison Lumber Co. in the woods.

All eyes and ears were turned to the double wedding couple. The bride and groom were escorted by the groom's brother, Mr. Ramsey Reynolds, and the bride's brother, Mr. Willie Heino. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Andrew Young. The wedding party included Miss Elma Anderson, who became the bride of Willie Heino. The newlyweds will be at home at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Reynolds, Sunday River, on Sunday, Aug. 2, from 2 to 6 p. m. Only 40¢ can be collected for this school.

### BETHEL AND VICINITY

Lloyd Luxton is having his house painted.

Miss Edith Sprague has returned home from Boston.

Sidney Chamberlin spent a few days at Monmouth last week.

Mrs. Fitzmaurice Vall has employment at the Glen House.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rice and Miss Phyllis Hunt visited relatives at Norway Sunday.

Lesley Lathrop of Boston is the guest of his brother, Gordon Lathrop, and family.

Miss Eugenia Haselton, who is employed at Pine Point, was home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Chapman and Roderick McMillin spent Sunday at Old Orchard.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Schaver of Boston were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Van.

Adney Gurney has taken the management of the Texaco Service Station on Church Street.

Miss Jessie Cummings of North Abington, Mass., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Cates.

Miss Virginia Knight of East Haven, Conn., is visiting at the home of Mrs. Wallace Coolidge.

Mr. and Mrs. Adelman Stearns and family of Andover spent the week end at their Bethel home.

Miss Joyce Chapman is spending the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bean at Old Orchard.

A food sale, sponsored by the Ladies' Aid will be held at the Methodist Church Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Bertram Packard and daughter Lucia of Augusta are guests of Mrs. Packard's mother, Mrs. F. B. Lovejoy.

Kenneth Williams of Woburn, Mass., and Gerard S. Williams of Bethel spent the week end at their home in Jay.

Miss Lillian Fuller went to Portsmouth, N. H., Monday, where she has employment at the Hotel Wentworth-by-the-Sea.

Wallace Clark returned Saturday from a two months visit with his daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Williams at Woburn, Mass.

Lieut. James Alger has been appointed instructor in English and History at West Point Prep School, Fort Bliss, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Cole of West Paris and Mrs. S. J. Wheeler of North Paris were Sunday guests of Mrs. Rose Brown.

Miss Alice Poor of Medford, Mass., and Miss Florence MacPhee of Waterville, Me., are visiting Mrs. Stanley Westzell.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Frost of Kingfield and Miss Addie Frost of Lisbon were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Sanborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brooks and daughter of Milton, Mass., were week end guests of his sister, Mrs. W. B. Twaddle, and family.

Mrs. Sidney Chapman, daughter of Joyce and Mrs. Wallace Coolidge motored to Glen Ellis Falls to see Robert Chapman recently.

Mrs. Kenneth Williams and daughters, Carolyn and Melissa, of Woburn, Mass., are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Clark.

Mrs. Eli Stearns fell at her home Sunday morning and broke her leg between the knee and the hip. She was taken to the U. M. G. Hospital.

The Girl Scouts from Bethel who are attending Camp Wewanda at Mt. Vernon are Kathryn Davis, Virginia Davis, Frances Warren, and Alice Garaway.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Thomas and children, Patricia and William, of Bethel, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. V. H. Thomas at Glen Ellis Falls.

The location of the William Thomas place in Wewanda, which was sold last week, will be given, and next Saturday. There are still a lot of people to be sold.

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## NEWS OF THE WEEK

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## Labor Leaders on Trial

Washington — Twelve unions allied with John L. Lewis and the United Mine Workers of America in the organization of the new Committee for Industrial Organization are on "trial" before the executive council of the American Federation of Labor for "insubordination" in conducting union activities outside of the Federation's control.

## Playing at War

Louisville, Ky. — On the 33,000 acres of the Ft. Knox Reservation and 47,000 more acres rented for the occasion at \$1.00 per acre, 21,000 fighting men of the Second Army Corps, consisting of Federal troops and National Guardsmen from Ohio, Kentucky, Indiana, Virginia and West Virginia are "attacking" Nashville and Pittsburgh, rival "capitals" in manoeuvres this week. Farmers are to be reimbursed by the Government for any damage done by the clashing armies.

## The President at Home

Hyde Park, N. Y. — Returning here from his cruise in Maine and Canadian waters, President Roosevelt has settled down to a week of political conferences, during which he is expected to meet every Democratic leader of major importance in the coming campaign.

## The Velocity Dollar

Alberta, Canada — Balked by a depleted treasury in his "social credit" plan, Premier Aberhart launched this week his "velocity dollar" to lend impetus to business. The

dollars look like real Canadian dollars, but they are mere script until 104 one-cent stamps (one a month for 2 years) have been pasted on the back. They then will be worth \$1.04, but in the meantime merchants are asked to accept them at their face value.

## Condition of the Treasury

(For Last Fiscal Week)

Receipts,	\$58,482,474
Expenditures,	102,949,503
Balance,	2,251,175,748
Deficit, Fiscal Year,	119,726,716
Public Debt,	33,458,202,082

## Catholic Converts Scored

New York City — Although the official Catholic Directory takes pride in announcing the admission of 63,454 converts to the Church last year, Mary E. McLoughlin, writing in the Jesuit weekly "America" under the title of "Those Terrible Catholic Converts," scores the newcomers from other religions as "intoxicated with the certitude and beauty of the Church, her ceremony, her saintly members dead and living and must needs be doing, writing or preaching soap-boxing, bent on shaming or at least arousing us from lethargy."

## Fumbling the Ball

Detroit, Mich. — Scenting to much speechmaking, 17 members of the Detroit Tiger's baseball squad failed to accept an invitation to guests of honor at a banquet tendered 400 automobile dealers by the Chevrolet Motor Company. Several members however, responded, in addition to a good dinner and a souvenir pen-and-pencil set, each received an \$800 de luxe sedan to his trouble.

## Costly Senatorial Ambition

Laredo, Texas — It was the ambition of Senator Robert R. Reynolds of North Carolina, to be the United States Senator to drive a car over the new international American highway into Mexico. Near Teco, in the State of Hidalgo, bandits held up 12 automobiles, leaving the Senator of \$400. "So what I say in the Congressional Record about this!" was the Senator's parting shot.

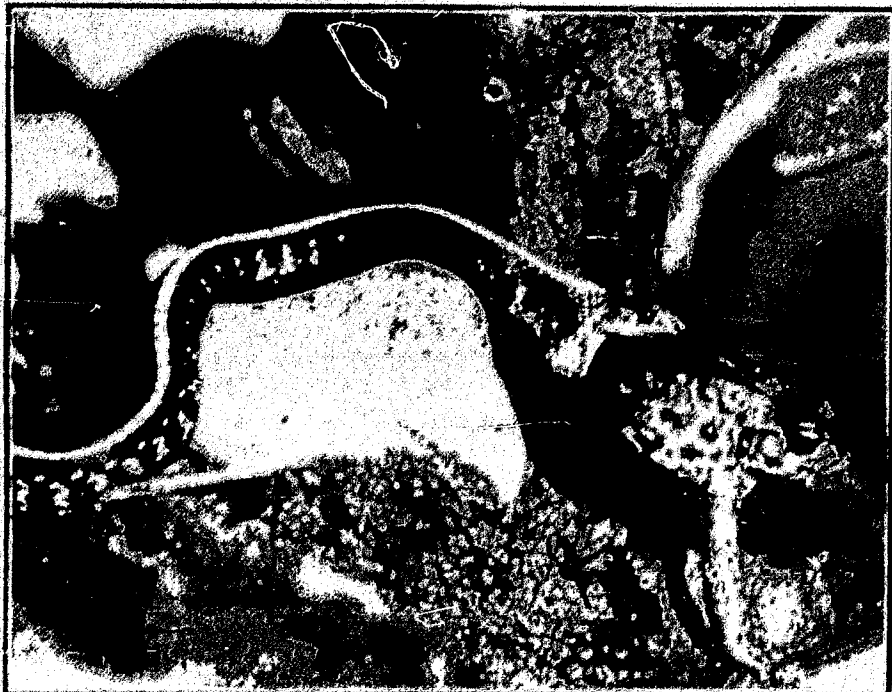
An attractive young movie actress was driving her new car when something went wrong with the engine. The traffic light changed from green to red and back to green and still she could not get the car to budge. The traffic came up.

"What's the matter, miss?" inquired. "Ain't we got colors like?" — Boston Transcript.

Communism reduced to its simplest form means autocratic power for a few and slavery for the millions. — Gertrude Atherton.

## THE NEWS-WEEK IN PICTURES

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ONE WAY OF ENJOYING FROG LEGS

An Oregon photographer surprised this white-striped garter snake just as it was beginning the task of swallowing a hapless frog whole, a moment in which the snake unhinges its jaw bones.



FASHION'S DECREE FOR BERLIN OLYMPICS

These are the official uniforms for street and sports wear by contestants participating in the 1936 Olympics which opened at Berlin, Germany, last week. More than 300 American athletes are among contestants.



HE SAVED HIS KING

Anthony Gordon Dick, London salesman, who, as special constable, knocked pistol from hand of man threatening King Edward VIII.



UNEMPLOYED AT HOME IN STATE CAPITOL

When a tax deadlock between Republicans and Democrats tied up Pennsylvania's relief funds, 2,000 unemployed picketed the \$13,000,000 State Capitol, parked their children in the corridors and hooted the Legislature with cries of "Stop stalling! Give us food!"



SHE IS 115 YEARS OLD

Mariano Lechuga, born in Mexico in 1821, lives with a nephew and his 16 children at San Bernardino, Calif.



EMBATTLED ROYALIST AT BAY IN PARIS

Accused by reports that Franco's Socialist government was prepared to furnish arms and war planes to assist the rebels in Spain's civil war, renewed fighting broke out in Paris, with Royalists and Nationalists attacking the Reds in street encounters.



CAPTIVE-BORN RHINOCEROS LOSE THEIR FURY

African big-game hunters classify the rhinoceros as one of the most dangerous of wild beasts when aroused. These two, full-grown and born at the Detroit Zoo, tamely receive tidbits from young visitors who approach them without fear.

## LOCKE MILL

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Schell were in Bethel Sunday morning to spend a few days in town. Miss Myrtle Catherine will return after a month's visit in town.

Mrs. Ella Bryant, Mrs. Myrtle Schell, Myrtle and Catherine were in Bethel Sunday morning calling on friends. Miss Mary Davis has been after spending a few days in town. Mrs. Edwin Morrill, Jean and Louise Tirrel have been at Gorham, N. H., the last two weeks, have returned.

At the 4-H Field Day the "We Can Do" Club came in for an assembly presentation. Edith Kennison of West Bethel was visiting her grandparents, H. E. Fiske.

Several from here have been berrying the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coolidge, two children, Alton and Stella, called on Mr. and Mrs. Coolidge, Sunday evening.

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### LOCKE MILLS

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Mrs. Ella Bryant, Mrs. Hannah Coolidge, Myrtle and Catherine Scholl were in Bethel Tuesday morning calling on friends.

Miss Mary Davis has returned home after spending a few days with Mrs. Edwin Morrill.

Jean and Louise Tirrell, who have been at Gorham, N. H., for the last two weeks, have returned home.

At the 4-H Field Day the "Best We Can Do" Club came in third in the assembly presentation.

Edith Kennison of West Paris has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. H. E. Fiske.

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Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coolidge and two children, Alton and Stanley of Bethel called on Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Coolidge, Sunday evening.

Miss Hazel Hanscom has finished work at Herman Cummings' and is staying with Mrs. Robert Cole.

Mrs. Lester Tibbets and daughters Claire and Phyllis who have been camping at Old Orchard for several weeks have returned home.

A large number from here attended the auction at the William A. Holt estate.

Gladys Salls was home over the week end from her work at a girl's camp in Harrison.

### WEST GREENWOOD

Mrs. Mabel Chase has returned home from the Berlin hospital.

Mrs. Alden Wilson and son and Miss Lila Conner spent Saturday with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Sheehy and son and Alphonse Croteau of Lewiston called on Paul Croteau, Monday night.

Curtis Winslow of Lovell was a caller in town recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Bartlett and children called at B. L. Harrington's, Sunday.

### GREENWOOD CENTER

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott and family have returned to their home in New Jersey after spending several weeks at D. R. Cole's camp.

Mrs. Gladys Bailey and son William recently called on Mrs. Ella Bradford at North Paris and also called on Mrs. Bailey's sister, Mrs. W. H. Charlesworth and family of Worcester, who were visiting Mrs. Bradford.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mills are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Zenas Mills at Albany.

Mrs. Carrie Swan of Norway has been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. D. R. Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lapham and family of Albany visited with Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Martin, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Farr, Leland and Arnold Farr of West Poland visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Martin. Wynona and Martin Farr returned home with them.

Mrs. Ralph Abbott and family of Mechanic Falls and Mrs. Harry Knight and daughter of Norway have been stopplug at the Abbott cottage.

### MIDDLE INTERVALE

Several people attended the Radio Parish service at Bethel and enjoyed it greatly.

Ronald Stevens and family, Mr. Eames, and Mr. and Mrs. Carey Stevens were in Weld Sunday.

Lester Balentine and Richard Stevens are working for Leslie Davis in Albany.

Walter Balentine and Carey Stevens are working on the Grover Hill Road.

Willis Ward has finished haying and gone to work for Mr. Davis.

Richard Stevens spent the week end with friends in Albany.

Bruce Bailey is staying at Fannie Carter's and helping hay.

Mrs. Smith reports having canned 42 quarts of green peas this season.

The Northeastern Poultry Producers Council meets at the University of Maine, Orono, August 26-27, for its sixth annual summer conference. Representatives of 12 states, from Virginia to Maine, will attend.

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and summer  
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Enforced Traffic Rules

## NO CHANCE?

Horatio Alger made a name for  
himself by writing books about  
something that is peculiarly Ameri-  
can—the fact that every man in this  
country has a chance to win fame  
and fortune no matter what his  
start in life. In recent years, how-  
ever, a lot of malcontents and de-  
magogues have been taking advan-  
tage of the depression to insist that  
all that is changed.

The facts are that the depression  
slowed up the speed with which  
everybody was getting ahead. But  
something that happened in West  
Virginia the other day shows that  
the country of which Horatio Alger  
wrote still exists.

Twenty-two years ago, a lad of  
15 went to work at the bottom of  
the ladder in the Carnegie Steel  
Company plant at Sharon, Pa. He  
served in the World War as an  
aviator, and afterward for a time  
travelled around as a "barnstorm-  
ing" stunt flier.

Later, this same lad, then a young  
man, worked as a mechanic, a rivet-  
er, and a salesman. In 1925, he  
joined the Weirton Steel Company  
as a salesman. In January, 1929, he  
became assistant sales manager; in  
May, 1931, he was appointed as-  
sistant to the President, and in July  
1934, he was elected a vice presi-  
dent.

The other day, the Weirton Steel  
Company elected that same man as  
its President—T. E. Millson. He  
probably is, at 37, the youngest  
high executive in the steel industry.

His start from scratch, and his  
rise to the presidency of one of the  
biggest steel companies in the land  
is just one of thousands of similar  
cases. But the malcontents and de-  
magogues can't afford to admit it  
for such an admission would make  
their arguments look as silly as  
they are.

## CURTAINS!!

Jim Jones lives out in the coun-  
try, twenty miles from his office  
and drives to work daily. The drive  
takes place largely on a modern  
highway, with fast few miles com-  
pared to busy streets.

The drive can be made safely in  
about 25 minutes. But Jim would  
feel ashamed of his record if he  
ever took that long. So, by "step-  
ping on her" hard, he manages to  
make it in 25 minutes, and some-  
times less. The other day, in fact,  
he did it in 23 minutes—a saving of  
13 minutes over the time taken by  
more conservative pilots.

That saving of time is a great  
boon to Jim. It permits him to  
spend ten or fifteen minutes talking  
about golf to the boys at the clear-  
ing stand, or reading the funny papers.  
And the day he made his record he  
spent the saved time, plus quite a  
few minutes more, boasting about  
it.

Of course, Jim has to weave in  
and out of traffic occasionally,  
cursing the slow-pokes who move  
along at a sedate 48. And some-  
times he has to steal a right of  
way. Now and then he misses a  
crash by an inch, and after the first  
flush of nervousness passes, he  
chuckles to himself about what a  
good driver he is. Once he did have

## THE OBSTRUCTIONIST



a minor accident, but the insurance  
company paid for that.

There are a good many thousand  
Jim Joneses driving cars in this  
country. They go on for years with  
nothing happening to them—and  
the inevitable occurs.

## Washington Snapshots by JAMES PRESTON

A insidious but very tangible fear  
is working its way into a lot of  
Washington minds. It is the belief  
that World War veterans shortly  
will demand a bigger share out of  
the federal grab-bag—and if they  
do, they will stand a good chance of  
getting it unless all federal expendi-  
tures are drastically cut.

The point is that the federal gov-  
ernment pays pensions to all vets  
of every war but the last one. Only  
disabled World War veterans get  
pensions. Now, with billions being  
dumped around and the bonus paid  
without any permanently harmful  
effects yet evident, the World War  
veterans are beginning to discuss  
pensions.

The fears were made clear by  
two recent speeches—one by Gen.  
Frank T. Hines, Veterans Adminis-  
trator, and the other by James E.  
Van Zandt, National Commander of  
the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Both  
warned World War veterans to for-  
get pensions.

What could happen is shocking.  
There were only 2,213,365 Civil War  
veterans, yet in 1935—70 years after  
the Civil War—veterans of that  
conflict, and their dependents, drew  
\$63,629,582.72, or an average of  
\$1,060.37 per year per pensioner.

On the other hand, there were  
4,764,071 World War veterans. Last  
year, with pensions going only to  
disabled, they drew \$219,851,128.63.  
If they got the same average \$1-  
\$1,060.37 pension, the total federal  
outlay on World War vets would be  
\$5,051,000,000, which is big money  
even these days.

It's awfully hard, Washington  
heads admit, to convince a veteran,  
whose neighbor is getting monthly  
checks for not raising pigs, that he  
shouldn't have more of the "easy"  
money.

The historically minded pulled a  
surprise the other day on Phillip  
Murray, vice president of United  
Mine Workers who are trying to  
get steel employees into their per-  
sonal union Murray and his boss, John L.  
Lewis, have shouted to high heaven  
in criticism of those who said em-  
ployees should be allowed to decide  
whether they wanted to join or stay  
out of unions. Lewis and Murray  
want the unions left free to cajole  
and coerce.

The researchers found that in  
1921, when Murray was testifying  
before a Senate committee, he said  
a requisite for industrial peace in  
West Virginia was "the protection  
of unorganized workers against in-  
timidation or coercion by members  
of the United Mine Workers OR

ANY OTHER LABOR ORGANIZA-  
TION." President Roosevelt also  
wrote the phrase "from any source"  
into his statement ending the near-  
strike in the auto industry in 1934.

With the summer lull on, Na-  
tional Press Clubbers have found  
another way to liven things up a  
bit. Taking their cue from the new  
Federal Social Security Act, they  
are calling one another by numbers  
rather than names. It used to be:  
"Hi, Tom." Now it's: "Hi, Number  
23,486,927."

The Treasury will give every em-  
ployee in the country a number ac-  
cording to his records won't get mixed  
with others who have identical names.  
Fingerprinting, long resisted as an  
anti-crime move, may be resorted  
to, also.

## INVENTIONS AND JOBS

Fifty years ago one of the great-  
est inventions ever conceived by  
man was put into operation—the  
Mergenthaler Linotype. It enabled  
one man on the average, to set as  
much type as five men could set by  
hand. It revolutionized printing.

If those who insist that machines  
rob men of jobs are correct, then  
despite our population growth their  
should be fewer men working for  
the printing industry. But what are  
the facts shown in figures compiled  
by the United States Bureau of the  
Census?

In 1880, our population was  
around 61,000,000; in 1929, it was  
not quite double that—121,000,000.  
In 1880, which was before the lino-  
type really made itself felt, there  
were 50,000 persons employed in  
the printing industry.

A normal growth, therefore,  
would indicate that slightly less  
than 100,000 persons should have  
been employed in the printing in-  
dustry in 1929. But if we accept the  
claims of the anti-machine advo-  
cates, then there should have been  
only 20,000 employed in the printing  
industry in 1929.

Actually, while population was  
growing only 100%, employment in  
the printing industry was rising  
nearly 500%—from 50,000 in 1880 to  
231,000 in 1929.

These figures, of course, do not  
take into account the thousands of  
new jobs created by the increased  
demand for paper, ink, printing ma-  
chinery, and similar supplies. Nor  
do they allow anything for the  
great educational advantages offer-  
ed by less expensive books.

If we listened to the anti-machine  
agitators, we would go back to the  
days before the linotype was in-  
vented. Should we?

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## The Public Debt Is the People's Burden

By RAYMOND PITCAIRN  
National Chairman  
Sentinels of the Republic

America, according to latest sta-  
tistics, is now staggering under a  
collection of governmental debts—  
federal, state and local—which reach  
an all-time high of over Fifty-three  
Billion Dollars.

This total is called the Public  
Debt. But a clearer name might be  
the People's Debt, or better still, the  
People's Burden. For whether they  
realize it or not, it's the people who  
must pay—not only the workers and  
earners of the present generation,  
but those of generations to come.

And it's a heavy bill that the pol-  
iticians are running up for you and  
your descendants. It means that no  
matter how carefully you've con-  
ducted your affairs, no matter how  
you and your family have sacrificed  
to make ends meet, you're in debt  
to the amount of \$415. That, say the  
statisticians, is the per capita share.

It means, further, that if you head  
a family of say five members, your  
family's share of the debt runs over  
\$2,000. If the family is larger, so is  
its ultimate burden.

Just who plunged us all so deeply  
into the red?

The statisticians have analyzed  
that, too. They point out that  
Thirty-four Billion Dollars of the  
debt—approximately \$264 per capita  
—was piled up by the Federal Gov-  
ernment; while more than Nineteen  
Billion — approximately \$151 per  
capita—was loaded on the people by  
state and local governments; or, to  
be more accurate, by the office-  
holders who hold the reins of gov-  
ernment.

It must be pleasant for office-  
holding politicians to feel that  
they've been so generous. It's always  
pleasant to be generous with other  
people's money. That's a bright side  
of the picture.

But there's a dark side, too! It's  
reserved for the public—for the  
workers and housewives of America  
—who now pay and will continue to  
pay for the politicians' generosity,  
not only in higher taxes, but in in-  
creased costs for virtually everything  
they buy.

## UNION SCHOOL REUNION TO BE HELD AUGUST 30TH

A meeting of the officers of the  
South Woodstock Union School As-  
sociation was held at the home of  
the president, Gerald Davis, Mon-  
day evening, Aug. 3. It was voted  
to hold the second reunion on Sun-  
day, Aug. 30, at Littlefield's Beach,  
Locke Mills. This reunion includes  
all former teachers, parents, and  
pupils of Union School and the four  
school districts that now form  
Union School. These include Per-  
kins Valley, Curtis Hill, Dunham  
and Nute districts. Any parent, teacher  
or pupil who attended these schools  
are cordially invited to be present.  
An entertainment will be held  
at the school house in the  
evening.

Following are the committees—  
Sports—Harlan Andrews, Gerald  
Benson, Walter Littlehale, Base  
Ball—Arthur Thurlow, Stanley An-  
drews, Kenneth Benson. Refresh-  
ments—Myrtle Thurlow, Zella Sil-  
ver and Helen Poland. Program—  
Olive Davis, Lenwood Andrews.

Don't forget the date, August 30.  
Every one bring a basket lunch. Ice  
cream and cold drinks may be  
bought on the grounds.

## Knotholes & Sawdust

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Madame: "Did you tell those ladies at the door that I was out?"  
Maid: "Yes, madame."  
Madame: "What did they say?"  
Maid: "They said 'how fortunate.'"

Wes Kimball at Locke Mills decided that it was good business to have a double garage to house which he recently purchased.  
We were pleased that we had just what he wanted for lumber.

A chicken is the only thing we know of that can be eaten before it's born and after it's dead.

Uncle John came to visit, and before he left he gave his nephew a dollar bill. "Now, be careful with that money, Tommy," he said. "Remember the saying, 'a fool and his money are soon parted.'"

It is plain to be seen that Carl Brown and Howard Allen are gaining ground with his sister, Mrs. Robinson.

Stearns worked at H. B. one day last week.

Ed Mountain Grange held its meeting Saturday evening with good attendance.

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## BETHEL WINS THIRD GAME IN ROW—DEFEATS SOUTH RUMFORD 8 TO 0

by R. E. D.

Last Sunday those fans who fol-  
lowed the team to West Bethel saw  
a game featured by errorless bat-  
ing in the field and timely hitting at  
the plate.

For five innings Gogan of Rum-  
ford held the Bethel boys hitless.  
In the sixth Doc Hood led off with  
a single. Stanley and Gill followed  
suit to fill the bases. Quimby came  
through with a triple to clear the  
sacks and scored a moment later  
on a wild pitch.

Littlehale started the seventh  
with a hit. Daniels scored him with  
a double and eased across the plate  
on Hood's second bingle. "Doc"  
also coming in shortly by virtue of  
another wild pitch.

Rumford bunched four of the  
eight hits allowed by Gill in the  
third for their two runs. That was  
the extent of their scoring as Jack  
pitched a masterful game all the  
way through.

Although the playing field was  
in terrible shape Bethel made no  
errors and Rumford only two. The  
game was well worth waiting to  
see as those who did attend were  
testify.

BETHEL	ab	r	h	po	a
Stanley, 2b	4	1	1	0	1
Gill, p	4	1	1	0	1
Browne, ss	2	1	0	2	1
Quimby, cf	4	1	1	1	0
Robertson, 1b	3	0	0	10	0
Littlehale, c	4	1	2	9	0
Daniels, 3b	4	1	2	3	2
Hood, lf	4	2	2	0	0
Scribner, rf	3	0	0	2	1

SO. RUMFORD	ab	r	h	po	a
Scaraffa, 1b	4	1	1	5	0
Tripp, 3b, c	4	1	2	2	0
R. Viger, 2b	4	0	2	1	2
Bourgea, c, 3b	4	0	0	11	0
G. Viger, ss	4	0	2	0	1
Hill, lf	3	0	0	1	0
Murphy, cf	3	0	0	3	0
Raleigh, rf	4	0	1	0	0
Gogan, p, lf	3	0	0	0	2
Venus, p	1	0	0	1	0

Bethel 0 0 0 0 4 3 1 —  
So. Rumford 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 —  
Two base hits: R. Viger, Daniels.  
Three base hits: Quimby, Stanley.  
Bases: Browne, Daniels, Scaraffa.  
G. Viger, Wild pitches: Gogan.  
First on balls: off Gogan 2, off Ve-  
nus, off Gill 3. Struck out: by Ve-  
nus 8, by Venus 2, by Gill 8. Hit  
off Gogan 7 in 7 innings, off Venus  
2 in 1. Double play: G. Viger to  
Viger to Scaraffa. Umpire: Laver.  
Time: 1:50.

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ladies' night Saturday. Women  
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was a large attendance, including  
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### BRYANT POND

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Crosmer of Everett, Mass and Ralph Bacon of Boston returned home Sunday after spending two weeks vacation at Ralph and Myrtle Bacon's new cottage on the shore of Lake Christopher.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crockett spent the week end at her home in New Gloucester.

Prof. and Mrs. Floyd Redman and three children are away for a week visiting his parents.

Mrs. James MacKillop and children Thelma and Howard are visiting in Nobleboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cushman are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Saturday.

Beatrice Hathaway is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Raeburn Hathaway in Needham, Mass.

Mrs. Clarence Cole is at the C. M. G. Hospital where she submitted to two operations.

Evangelist services are being held this week in the church every evening at eight o'clock.

### DROUGHT DICTATES CHANGE IN CONSERVATION PROGRAM

Two new provisions of the Agricultural Conservation Program as it applies to the Northeast region have been announced by the Maine conservation committee. Both are designed to make the program fit more closely conditions caused by dry weather.

The changes were recommended by Agricultural Conservation Committees of the nine states in the region and approved by Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace.

One change removes the provision for deductions in case a farm's 1936 acreage of general soil-depleting crops is larger than the farm's general soil-depleting base. The change means that farmers who have increased their acreage of soil-depleting crops may collect in full for any payments they earn for using soil-building practices. The deductions would have wiped out or reduced such soil-building payments.

Officials said that many farmers in the northeast have found it necessary to increase their acreage of soil-depleting crops this year in order to counteract the effects of the drought. Such farmers now will be able to participate fully in other phases of the program.

The second change provides that farmers who planted nurse crops and were unable to seed soil-conserving crops at the usual time because of drought may seed the soil-conserving crops after the grain crops and still classify the acreage as soil-conserving. A farmer's land will be so classified only if his county committee determines that the grain crop was planted for nurse crop purposes, and that the weather conditions prevented him from seeding the soil-conserving crop at the usual time. In other cases such land will be classified as soil-depleting.

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### Albany—Waterford

Raymond Langway and Ernest Brown finished E. K. Shedd's haying Friday.

A coat of tar is being applied to the Songo and Greenwood roads in Albany.

A. B. Kimball is cutting the grass on the Stearns and Daniels place at Hunt's Corner.

Phillip Chadbourne of Auburn and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Scribner and daughter were callers at Ernest Brown's, Friday evening.

Kenneth Cox of Rumford is stopping with his grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Canwell.

Raymond Russell of South Paris is boarding at E. K. Shedd's while working on the Twaddle lot recently purchased by W. P. Cullinan of Norway.

George Sturtevant and Helen Cummings from Winthrop were the guests at Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brown's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kimball and daughters of Sebago were calling on friends in this place Wednesday evening. Mr. Kimball is haying the fifth farm in that section. Mrs. Kimball is surely some knitter, having knit six pairs of stockings since the first of July.

Donald Green has returned to his duties at N. Yarmouth Academy after attending the summer session at the University of Maine.

### MILTON

Mrs. C. Baldwin from Coaticook, Que., has been visiting her son, Howard Thornton, Jr., the past two weeks.

Cora Millett has gone to work in the mill at Locke Mills.

Llewellyn Buck and Charles Poland have been cutting the hay on the Cullen Abbott farm.

Will Dyer has commenced picking his raspberries. Not a very large crop is expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Swan, Mrs. Mabel Farrington and Clara Jackson and mother, were in Kingsfield on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Clifford of Rumford was at his grandmother's, Mrs. Addie Lapham's, Sunday.

Miss Mildred Soule of Gorham has been visiting Clara Jackson.

### NORTH WOODSTOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parker of Massachusetts spent last week at Herman Cole's.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cole and daughter of Weymouth, Mass., are spending their vacation at Sunset Lodge on the Gore.

Miss Irvina Russ is visiting friends at Camden.

Orin Lord and family entertained relatives from Auburn over the week end.

Mrs. Clinton Buck was at Portland one day last week.

Mrs. Clara Knights was a week end guest of her daughter, Mrs. Herman Cole. She also called at her son's, James Knights', and family.

Elwell Hard attended Pomona Grange at West Sumner, Tuesday.

### GILEAD

Charles Farnum of Rumford Point was a business visitor in town Tuesday.

Harry Taylor and family have moved to Chatham.

John McBride, who has been ill at his home here, is improving.

Cecil Chase and William Hannon of Turner were recent visitors in town.

Ina Oleson is assisting in the home of Mrs. Edward Holden.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Losler and John Duguay were in Berlin Sunday to attend the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John LeBreton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Estes and daughter Irene and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dean and family of West Paris were guests at the home of Charles Chase, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Holden were visitors in Berlin, N. H., Monday.

Miss Yvette Roy of Berlin, N. H., is spending a few days with friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Tracy and family of Bartlett, N. H., were the guests of friends in town Sunday.

Mr. Joseph Lapointe and family were in Berlin, N. H., Saturday.

Mrs. Myrtle Brown has been confined to her home by illness.

Dr. W. B. Twaddle of Bethel was in town Wednesday.

Laura Bergeon of Berlin, N. H., spent the week end with relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rancourt of Cumberland Mills were guests at Charles Chase's, Sunday.

Alimony should not be made the means of cruel and inhuman punishment.—Justice Salvatore A. Cutillo.

With the grotesque system of justice which prevails, getting loose is twice as easy as staying in jail.—Henry L. Mencken.

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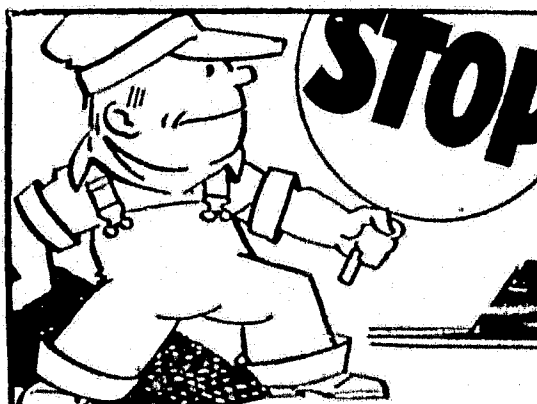
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## BETHEL AND VICINITY

—Continued from page one—

Miss Gladys Richards of Arlington, Mass., is the guest of Miss Julia Brown this week.

The W. P. A. road work on Grover Hill will be completed in two weeks. The crew will then be employed on the Northwest Bethel road for a month or more.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Grindle of Seal Harbor, Eldredge Berry and Sidney Dyke of Westmont, N. J., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Berry and family.

Mrs. Wallace Coolidge, Edgar and Barbara Coolidge, Miss Virginia Knight, Mrs. Frank Hunt and two children, Frank Jr. and Norma, spent Sunday at Stanwood Park, Farmington.

The local parking situation has been much improved by yellow markings in the vicinity of the post office. Spaces will also be marked from Bryant's store to the Naimy property.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Green of Medford, Mass., accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. E. B. Perry, and her son and daughter of Philadelphia, were visitors in town one day last week. Mr. Green is a native of Shelburne and worked in the store of the late Edwin C. Rowe here before going to Norway and later to Massachusetts.

A 26x16 foot addition is under construction at the H. F. Thurston & Son mill. It is planned to install saw machines in this new space and perhaps another engine so that it can be operated as a separate unit. The larger area will make for increased convenience and efficiency and will take care of the concern's increasing business.

Don Huber, who is touring the State as a candidate for Governor on a platform embodying the Town and plan, the homestead act, and "Every Man a Home" spoke to a small audience at the head of Main Street Wednesday morning. He had loud speaking apparatus on his car, so probably he reached a larger audience than appeared in public.

### ALLISON BROWN

Allison Brown died at his home in Mason Tuesday morning after a long period of ill health, but was confined to his bed only about a week.

Mr. Brown was born in Albany, April 2, 1858, the son of Walter and Elizabeth Mason Brown, the eldest of 11 children. His early life was spent in his native town, but after his marriage to Miss Anna Styles, April 2, 1882, they went to Canton where they made their home for seven years. They then moved to the farm where they have lived for the past 45 years. They were the parents of two children who died in very early life.

He was affiliated with Anasagunticook Lodge, No. 32, I. O. O. F., at Canton, having been a member for the past 54 years.

He is survived by his wife, three brothers, Milford and True Brown of Bethel, and Blon Brown of South Paris, besides several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held from the funeral home of S. S. Greenleaf Friday at 2 p. m.

### 500 ATTEND OXFORD COUNTY FIELD DAY

Five hundred club members, parents and friends attended the Oxford County 4-H Field Day at Thompson Lake on July 29. Forty-three clubs were represented of the 65 clubs in the county. Ten clubs had their pictures taken for having a 100% attendance. They were: Oak Tree, Norway Lake, Mrs. Frances Pratt; W. W. W. Club, North Waterford, Mr. William Walker; Ever Onward, North Paris, Mrs. Lila Ellingwood; Milton Hardworkers, Milton, Mrs. Rena Abbott; Co-Workers, East Sumner, Mrs. Elden Garey; Eveready Club, Hallowell, Mrs. Una Stearns; 4-H Clover, South Hiram, Mrs. Frances Morrill; Pleasant Pond, West Sumner, Mr. Patrick Myers; Hartford Hustlers, Hartford, Mrs. Helen Bragg; Snappy Eight, East Bethel, Mrs. Gladys Tyler.

Alvin Hersey of North Waterford, a former club member, was Master of Events for the day. Harry Brown and Chandler Briggs, South Paris, had charge of the water sports. William Dallinger, Center Lovell; Nazaire Bedard, Norway; and Burton Newton, Bryant Pond, ran off the field events.

Harold Elliott of Rumford Point was secretary. Mr. Elliott recorded winners in each event and presented ribbons to the winners.

Mrs. Elden Garey of West Sumner, supervised the 4-H refreshment booth, run by the leaders in the county.

Lake Christopher Garden Club of Bryant Pond, with Burton Newton, leader, received the first prize of a peck of peanuts for receiving the highest score on the events of the day. Jolly Workers of Bryant Pond with Mrs. Annie Crockett, leader, were awarded the watermelon for second place. Willing Workers of Hiram, under Paul Wadsworth's leadership, came third for the big bag of kisses.

The Hiram Willing Workers defeated the Lake Christopher Garden Club of Bryant Pond 12-3 in an exciting baseball game.

### BOY

In Bryant Pond, to the wife of Claude Cushman, a daughter.

### MARRIED

In Olicad, July 27, by George D. Daniels, Justice of the Peace, Lincoln D. Webber of Wild River and Miss Ellen Hamblin of Franklin, Mass.

### DIED

In Berlin, N. H., Aug. 3, Mrs. Sarah, wife of Stephen Byrd, native of Bethel, aged 55 years.  
In Mason, Aug. 4, Allison Brown, aged 78 years.

## Crockett's Garage

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## CHURCH ACTIVITIES

### CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister  
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.  
Sermon subject, "The Danger of the Conventional."

Visitors and summer guests are welcome at these services.

### METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. P. J. Clifford, Minister  
9:45 Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.  
Sermon subject, "Not Independent."  
While we are having our vacation there is no time off when we do not need God. Why not recognize this by a greater loyalty?  
Attend Church Sunday. You and yours are invited.

### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.  
Services Sunday morning at 10:45.  
"Spirit" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, August 9, 1936.

The Golden Text is: "Thou art my God; thy spirit is good; lead me into the land of uprightness." (Psalms 143:10).

Among the citations from the Bible is the following: "But as it is written, Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love him. But God hath revealed them unto us by his Spirit: for the Spirit searcheth all things, yea, the deep things of God. For what man knoweth the things of a man, save the spirit of man which is in him? even so the things of God knoweth no man, but the Spirit of God." (1 Corinthians 2:9-11).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science Textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Christianity causes men to turn naturally from matter to Spirit, as the flower turns from darkness to light. Man then appropriates those things which 'eye hath not seen nor ear heard.'" (page 458:32-3).

Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:30 p. m.

### WEST BETHEL UNION CHURCH

Rev. Alton Verrill  
10:30 a. m. Subject for morning service: "The Three Worlds."  
7:30 p. m. Subject for evening service, "Our Father's House," an interesting study dealing with the wonders of creation.

All are most cordially invited to attend these services.

### EIGHT FARM BUREAU GROUPS HOLD MEETING ON HOUSEHOLD CLEANERS

During the month of July eight Farm Bureau groups held meetings on the subject of Household Cleaners. At these meetings several cleaners commonly used in the household were made. Among these cleaners were: silver polish, shoe polish, window cleaner, woodwork cleaner, brass polish, furniture polish, and furniture wax. Meetings on this subject have already been held in Andover, Brownfield, East Bethel, Bethel, Hiram, Waterford and South Hiram.

Harold Chamberlin has been in Boston the past two days as the guest of H. P. Hood & Son. He was one of the winners in their June contest. The Maine party went from Portland in the streamlined Flying Yankee.

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## LOCAL CONTESTS LEAD TO COUNTY CONTEST

At the close of the 4-H Club year, a local contest is held in every town in which there is a club. If there are two or more clubs in a town, the clubs combine for the contest. The object of these local contests are: to compare results of members at the end of the season; to stimulate interest for another year; to place before the parents and citizens of the community the work done by their own boys and girls. Records and stories on all projects are due at local contest. Club members' exhibits, except livestock and poultry, are scored. Each club member receives a ribbon on the merit of their exhibit. Following is a schedule of the Oxford Local Contests:

Wednesday, Aug. 12—Denmark  
Thursday, Aug. 27—Andover  
Tuesday, Sept. 1—Hartford  
Wednesday, Sept. 2—E. Sumner  
Thursday, Sept. 3—W. Sumner  
Friday, Sept. 4—No. Paris, Hallowell (P. M.)  
Tuesday, Sept. 8—So. Woodstock  
Wednesday, Sept. 9—Newry  
Thursday, Sept. 10—Upton  
Friday, Sept. 11—Norway, Norway Lake.  
Saturday, Sept. 12—West Bethel, East Bethel  
Monday, Sept. 14—Albany  
Tuesday, Sept. 15—Roxbury  
Monday, Sept. 21—E. Stoneham, North Waterford  
Tuesday, Sept. 22—Lovell, Center Lovell  
Wednesday, Sept. 23—Fryeburg, E. Fryeburg  
Thursday, Sept. 24—Brownfield  
Friday, Sept. 25—Hiram, S. Hiram  
Saturday, Sept. 26—Milton  
Monday, Sept. 28—Dixfield  
Tuesday, Sept. 29—Rumford  
Wednesday, Sept. 30—Rumford, Rumford Point  
Thursday, Oct. 1—Rumford, Rumford Center  
Friday, Oct. 2—Rumford  
Saturday, Oct. 5—So. Paris, Paris Hill  
Monday, Oct. 5—So. Waterford  
Tuesday, Oct. 6—Welchville  
Wednesday, Oct. 7—Buckfield, N. Buckfield  
Thursday, Oct. 8—Canton, Canton Point  
Friday, Oct. 9—Bryant Pond, Locke Mills  
Saturday, Oct. 10—East Hebron  
The county contest will be held at the Association Hall in South Paris on October 24. At each local contest several of the high ranking exhibits are selected, providing the score merits it, to be exhibited at County Contest.

The members of the Ladies Club will offer on Aug. 13, next Thursday afternoon, an especially fine exhibit of gifts and food. The candy table will have plenty of delicious home made confections, rich and tasty. A lovely patch work quilt, in green and white flying geese pattern, will be for sale. Plenty of home baked rolls and pastry will be present. Aprons for all occasions and at all prices will be seen. Children's toys and babies' clothing will have a prominent place.

## ODEON HALL, BETHEL

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## ROOSEVELT CARAVAN MAKING THREE WEEK TOUR OF THE STATE

Statement by James A. Chairman of the Democratic National Committee:

"The first Roosevelt caravan arrive Wednesday in Maine to the campaign in that State, the next few weeks, more score of these caravans will the road appearing in towns and smaller cities throughout the country. It is estimated that before the campaign is the caravans will give more 10,000 programs."

The purpose of this caravan to tell the people the story Roosevelt Administration accomplishments.

Each caravan consists of a senger automobile and a coach equipped with modern apparatus for speech and projection. Both the trailer and car will be painted white, red, white and blue decorative including pictures of Roosevelt. The inscription, "Roosevelt Administration Accomplishments," will be on the side of the car. The personnel of each will include an operator and speakers—the director, a young person. In instances these persons will natives of the States in which the caravan is appearing.

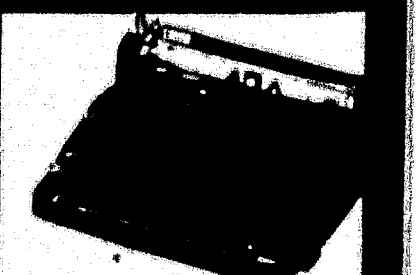
The personnel for the Caravan is: Robert Millik, Portland; Miss Louise Alexander, attorney of Greensboro, N. C.; Miss Tina Thompson, a teacher Waterville.

The caravan, which made its visit in the State at Kittery will follow an itinerary through o'clock Wednesday morning counties, ending at Fryeburg Tuesday, August 25. The visit Oxford County will be: Thursday, Aug. 20:

12:30 p. m. Mexico  
3:00 Summer  
4:30 Bryant pond  
6:00 Bethel  
7:30 Newry  
8:00 Rumford  
Friday, Aug. 21  
8:00 a. m. Canton  
9:30 East Peru  
11:00 Dixfield  
Saturday, Aug. 22:  
11:00 a. m. Buckfield  
12:30 p. m. Hebron  
4:00 Welchville  
5:20 South Paris  
7:30 Norway



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